

The Themes of the Global Horizons Fellowship Programme

Based on the programme's general focus on global governance, i.e. the move towards coordination and cooperation among transnational actors, the programme specifically encourages applications based on research on the following broad themes:

1. Global Knowledge Cultures and Regimes

The programme invites research initiatives that focus on both existing and emerging knowledge cultures and regimes in order to contribute to our understanding of the character of epistemic cultures and knowledge regimes that are emerging in the gaps or interfaces between different spheres of knowledge production, such as for example, between academia and the political sphere.

2. Global Political Predicaments

The programme encourages research focused on the many dimensions of governance beyond the nation state, as exercised by complex transnational organizations and networks that combine substate agencies, nation-states, regional bodies, global institutions, and non-state actors, and informal institutions, including epistemic communities, transnational networks, and the basic structure of transnational norms.

3. Global Futures

The programme invites research on the advancement of the varieties of knowledge that form the basis for contemporary forms of governance and their future implications. Questions regarding how anticipatory knowledge, and its associated formulations of problems and solutions for imagined futures may contribute to and/or challenge the roles and responsibilities of different actors, are of interest here.